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PART IV-A

**Rules and Orders (Other than those published in Parts I, I-A, and I-L) made
by the Government of Gujarat under the Central Acts**

AGRICULTURE, FARMERS WELFARE AND CO-OPERATION DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar, 29th May, 2023

AADHAR (TARGETED DELIVERY OF FINANCIAL AND OTHER SUBSIDIES, BENEFITS AND SERVICES) ACT, 2016

NO.GKH/70/2023/FDV/132023/E-06/T- WHEREAS, the use of Aadhaar as an identity document for delivery of services or benefits or subsidies simplifies the Government delivery processes, brings in transparency and efficiency, and enables beneficiaries to get their entitlements directly in a convenient and seamless manner by obviating the need to produce multiple documents to prove one's identity;

AND WHEREAS, the Agriculture, Farmers Welfare and Co-operation Department, Government of Gujarat (hereinafter referred to as 'the Department') is administering the 796/02, 800/01 and 101/02, FSH-02 To increase fish seed production in tribal areas/non-Tribal areas and increase the equipment of inland fisheries, Planning plan (hereinafter referred to as the Scheme) to Providing Financial assistance to fishermen, which is being implemented through the commissioner of fisheries (hereinafter referred to as the Implementing Agency);

AND WHEREAS, under the Scheme, giving the subsidy for purchase of Fish farm renovation, Fish seed Rearing scheme, Fish seed stocking scheme, Prawn Seed stocking in Reservoir, Rearing space Development, Boat-Net Subsidy Scheme, Training for SCSP, Stipend to Tribal Community Trainees, Training kit to Tribal Community, Housing Scheme, Road, Street lights, and solar lights facilities provided in the fishing colony, Fish cage culture, Mobile laboratory van, Plastic crate, Aerator, Insulated Box, Pagadiya kit, New Pond Construction and Input, Fish seed Hatchery, Subsidy for fish selling equipments, Patrolling cum fish collection boat, Village pond renovation, fish seed and artificial fish feed subsidy in cage culture (non tribal area) (hereinafter referred to as 'the benefit') is given to the fishermen, Fishing Entrepreneur. (hereinafter referred to as the beneficiaries), by the Implementing Agency as per the extant Scheme guidelines;

Sr. No.	Details	What has to be given	When it has to be given	How much is to be given	Whom to given Benefits.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1	Fish seed Rearing	Subsidy on fish seed rearing activities in ponds such as spawn to fry, fry to fingerlings, and spawn to fingerlings.	every year	(1) Rs.90/- per 1000 fry with minimum 30% recovery for spawn to fry (2) Rs.260/- per 1000 fingerlings for fry to fingerlings with a minimum recovery of 35% (3) Rs.460/- per 1000 pieces as per fingerling for spawn to fingerling with minimum 12% recovery.	Fish farmer
2	Boat Net	Tin boat net or F.R.P. boat net	once in 6 year	50% of the cost or (1) tin boat-net Rs.7,500/- (boat Rs.5,000/- and net Rs.2500/-) whichever is less (2) F.R.P. Boat-net Rs.15,000/- (boat Rs.12,500/- and net Rs.2,500/-) whichever is less	Reservoir lease
3	Fish seed /Shrimp Seed Stocking	Fish seed and Shrimp seed	every year	101/02: For general caste beneficiary 50% of cost of fish seed and transportation cost (subject to fish seed stocking rate and transportation rate and fish seed stockable) 796/02: 100% of cost of fish seed and transportation cost for Scheduled Tribes (within limits of fish seed stocking rate and transportation rate and stock able fish seed) 800/01: 100% of cost of fish seed and transportation cost for scheduled species (within limits of stocking rate and transportation rate and stock able fish seed)	Reservoir lease
4	Fish collection cum patrolling boat	fish collection boat and a vehicle for fish transportation (four wheeler or three wheeler)	once in lifetime	101/02: 20 kg with fish collection boat. Weighing forks with capacity or more and boxes with storage capacity of 500 kg or more have to be included. Patrolling Cum Fish Collection Botany Unit Cost Rs. 5.00 lakhs on which 50% subsidy basis will be Rs. 2.50 lakhs or 50% of the purchase price whichever is less will be eligible for assistance. 800/01: In case of SC Patrolling Cum Fish Collection Botany Unit Cost Rs. 5.00 lakhs on top of which 75% subsidy basis will be Rs. 3.75 lakhs or 75% of the actual cost whichever is less will be eligible for assistance (for fish transport vehicle) for fish transport (1) Unit cost of four wheel vehicle is Rs. 6.00 lakhs on top of which 4.50 lakhs on 75% subsidy basis or 75% of the purchase price whichever is less (2) Unit cost of three wheeler vehicle Rs. 2.00 lakhs over which 75% subsidy basis will be Rs. 1.50 lakhs or 75% of the purchase price whichever is less	Reservoir lease
5	Backward women sales tool assistance	(1)insulated box (2)plain box Rs. (3)Renkadi (4)weighing unit	once in lifetime	50% of total unit purchase cost or Rs. 7,500/- whichever is less [(1)insulated box Rs.1,000/- (2)plain box Rs.500/- (3)Renkadi Rs.5,000/- (4)weighing unit Rs.1,000/-]	Fisheries community
6	Fish Sales Equipment Scheme	(1)insulated box (2)plain box Rs. (3)Renkadi (4)weighing unit	once in lifetime	50% of total unit purchase cost or Rs. 7,500/- whichever is less [(1)insulated box Rs.1,000/- (2)plain box Rs.500/- (3)Renkadi Rs.5,000/- (4)weighing unit	Fisheries community

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7	Fish culture cages	fish culture cage, fish seed, fish feed	once in 3 years	<p>101/02: Under this scheme, the cost of fish culture cage measuring 6 m x 4 m x 4 m, cost incurred under feed and fish seed, whichever is less, and the assistance will be Rs.3.00 lakh unit cost per beneficiary as 40% article Rs.1.20 lakh. Or 40% of the actual cost whichever is less will be payable as subsidy.</p> <p>796/02: Under this scheme, the cost of fish culture cage measuring 6m x 4m x 4m, cost incurred under feed and fish seed, whichever is less, will be subsidized to Rs.3.00 lakh unit cost per beneficiary at 60% of Rs.1.80 lakh per beneficiary. or 60% of the actual cost whichever is less is payable as subsidy.</p>	Reservoir lease
8	Road, Street lights and solar lights facilities	Road, Street lights and solar lights	once in lifetime	100% assistance will be given only to the colony of active respective caste society established by Fisheries Department.	Fisheries community
9	Plastic crate	Plastic crate to fishermen	once in 5 year	The unit cost of a plastic crate is Rs. 600/- 50% of the cost or Rs.300/- whichever is less	Reservoir lease, fish wholesale fish retail license holder
10	Aerator	Aerator	once in 5 year	50% of the cost or Rs.25,000/- whichever is less	Reservoir lease, Private owner of fish farm
11	Subsidy on insulated box	Insulated boxes	once in 5 year	The unit cost of an insulated box of capacity up to 100 litre to 500 litre Rs. 15000/- or 50% of the cost whichever is less will be eligible. Per litre Rs. 30/- shall be considered as the cost of assistance per article.	Reservoir lease, fish wholesale fish retail license holder
12	Pagadiyaunit	Insulated Box, Bicycle, Net	once in 3 year	90% of the cost or a maximum of Rs.7,200 whichever is less [(1) Net Rs. 2,700/- (2) Bicycle Rs. 2,700/- (3) Insulated Box Rs. 1350/- (4) Weight loss Rs. 450/-]	Fisheries community
13	Assistance for fish pond construction	Construction of new fish ponds will be Rs.7.00 lakh per hectare.	once in lifetime	The unit cost for construction of new fish ponds will be Rs.7.00 lakh per hectare. In which the General Beneficiary will receive 40% of the unit price subject to a maximum of Rs.2.80 lakh or 40% of the expenditure incurred and the Scheduled Tribe/Schedule Beneficiary will receive 60% of the unit price subject to a maximum of Rs.4.20 lakh per hectare or 60% of the actual expenditure. Assistance will be available whichever is less.	Anyone
14	Input assistance	Fish seed, fish feed and other miscellaneous work	once in lifetime	General category beneficiaries will have to pay 40% of the unit cost of input assistance subject to a maximum of Rs.0.60 lakh or 40% of the actual cost	Anyone

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				whichever is less. SC, ST, Women beneficiaries and their cooperative societies will have to pay 60% of the unit price up to a maximum of Rs.0.90 lakh or 60% of the actual cost whichever is less. Fishery Co-operative Societies will have to pay 50% maximum of Rs.75,000/- or 50% of actual cost whichever is less within the limit of unit price of Rs.1.50 lakh.	
15	Establishment of Fish Seed Hatchery	Fish Seed hatchery	once in lifetime	50% of the cost or Rs. 12.50 Lakhs whichever is less	Anyone
16	Mobile Laboratory Van	Vehicle, laboratory equipment	once in lifetime	The price of the four wheel van is Rs. 7.50 lakhs and the total cost of laboratory equipment Rs. 2.5 lakhs found total cost Rs. 10.00 lakhs 50% subsidy on unit cost Rs. 5.00 lakhs or 50% of the purchase price whichever is less	Anyone
17	Assistance on improvement of village lake given on lease	Assistance on village ponds granted on monopoly	once in lifetime	Rs.25,000/- per hectare will be paid to meet the additional requirement in materials fund in addition to the Government of India fund allocated under MNREGA in leased village ponds.	Village lake lease
18	Spawn rearing by the female	Subsidy on fish seed rearing activities in ponds spawn to fry	every year	Rs.90/- per 1000 fry with minimum 30% recovery for spawn to fry	Fisheries community
19	Accommodation	Housing Facilities	once in lifetime	For SC & ST: Rs.50, 000/- per dwelling for construction of minimum 35 sq.m.	Fisheries community
20	Training for SCSP	At the rural level, unemployed youths are given rural ponds on lease, 10-day short-term training is given to them to take up fishing activities, get employment and become self-sufficient.	once in lifetime	The trainees will be paid Rs. 125/- per article stipend is paid in proportion to day-10 attendance. If a field trip is organized during this training, in addition to the stipend Rs. 100/- is paid as visit fee. The scholarship will be paid only to the trainee who has at least 60% attendance.	Fisheries community
21	Stipend to Tribal Community	Three months training for Scheduled Tribes between 18 to 45 years only	once in lifetime	A trainee gets Rs. 2,000/- monthly stipend to be paid. A trainee will be paid a stipend of Rs.6,000/- for three months (Only if there is at least 60% attendance)	Fisheries community
22	Training Kit to Tribal Community	A chakkar net (cast net), gill net with seekers and float, nylon twine cotton string, plastic string and net weaving equipment	once in lifetime	Training kit of Rs.2500/- will be available. 100% assistance only to Scheduled Tribe trainees.	Fisheries community

AND WHEREAS, the aforesaid Scheme involves recurring expenditure incurred from the Consolidated Fund of State of Gujarat;

NOW, THEREFORE, in pursuance of section 7 of the Aadhaar (Targeted Delivery of Financial and Other Subsidies, Benefits and Services) Act, 2016 (18 of 2016) (hereinafter referred to as 'the said Act'), the Government of Gujarat hereby notifies the following, namely:-

1. (1) An individual eligible for receiving the benefits under the Scheme shall hereby be required to furnish proof of possession of the Aadhaar number or undergo Aadhaar authentication.
- (2) Any individual desirous of availing benefits under the Scheme, who does not possess the Aadhaar number or, has not yet enrolled for Aadhaar, shall be required to make application for Aadhaar enrolment before registering for the Scheme provided that he is entitled to obtain Aadhaar as per section 3 of the said Act, and such individuals shall visit any Aadhaar enrolment centre (list available at the Unique Identification Authority of India (UIDAI) website www.uidai.gov.in) to get enrolled for Aadhaar.
- (3) As per regulation 12 of the Aadhaar (Enrolment and Update) Regulations, 2016, the Department through its Implementing Agency, is required to offer Aadhaar enrolment facilities for the beneficiaries who are not yet enrolled for Aadhaar and in case there is no Aadhaar enrolment centre located in the respective Block or Taluka or Tehsil, the Department through its Implementing Agency shall provide Aadhaar enrolment facilities at convenient locations in coordination with the existing Registrars of UIDAI or by becoming a UIDAI Registrar themselves:

Provided that till the time Aadhaar is assigned to the individual, benefits under the Scheme shall be given to such individual, subject to the production of the following documents, namely :-

- (a) if he has enrolled, his Aadhaar Enrolment Identification slip; and
- (b) any one of the following documents, namely :-
 - (i) Bank or Post Office Passbook with Photo; or
 - (ii) Permanent Account Number (PAN) Card; or
 - (iii) Passport; or
 - (iv) Ration Card; or
 - (v) Voter Identity Card; or
 - (vi) MGNREGA Card; or
 - (vii) Kisan Photo passbook; or
 - (viii) Driving License issued by the Licensing Authority under the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 (59 of 1988); or
 - (ix) Certificate of identity having photo of such person issued by a Gazetted Officer or a Tehsildar on an official letter head; or
 - (x) Any other document as specified by the Department:

Provided further that the above documents shall be verified by an Officer specifically designated by the Department for that purpose.

2. In order to provide benefits to the beneficiaries under the Scheme conveniently, the Department through its Implementing Agency shall make all the required arrangements to ensure that wide publicity through the media shall be given to the beneficiaries to make them aware of the said requirement.
3. In all cases, where Aadhaar authentication fails due to poor biometrics of the beneficiaries or due to any other reason, the following remedial mechanisms shall be adopted, namely:-
 - (a) in case of poor fingerprint quality, either iris scan or face authentication facility shall be adopted for authentication, thereby the Department through its Implementing Agency shall make provisions for

iris scanners or face authentication along with finger-print authentication for delivery of benefits in seamless manner;

- (b) in case the biometric authentication through fingerprints or iris scan or face authentication is not successful, wherever feasible and admissible authentication by Aadhaar One Time Password or Time-based One-Time Password with limited time validity, as the case may be, shall be offered;
 - (c) in all other cases where biometric or Aadhaar One Time Password or Time-based One-Time Password authentication is not possible, benefits under the Scheme may be given on the basis of physical Aadhaar letter whose authenticity can be verified through the Quick Response code printed on the Aadhaar letter and the necessary arrangement of Quick Response code reader shall be provided at the convenient locations by the Department through its Implementing Agency.
4. In addition to the above, in order to ensure that no bonafide beneficiary under the Scheme is deprived of his due benefits, the Department through its Implementing Agency shall follow the exception handling mechanism as outlined in the Office Memorandum of DBT Mission, Cabinet Secretariat, Government of India dated 19th December, 2017.
5. This notification shall come into effect from the date of its publication in the *Official Gazette*.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Gujarat,

KAMLESH MAKWANA,

Deputy Secretary to Government.

